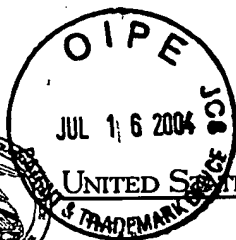


1PW/\$



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
 United States Patent and Trademark Office
 Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
 P.O. Box 1450
 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450
 www.uspto.gov

| APPLICATION NUMBER | FILING OR 371 (c) DATE | FIRST NAMED APPLICANT | ATTORNEY DOCKET NUMBER |
|--------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|
| 10/782,725 | 02/19/2004 | Angelo Visconti | 02-AG-210/EV |

CONFIRMATION NO. 3423

23334

FLEIT, KAIN, GIBBONS, GUTMAN, BONGINI
 & BIANCO P.L.

ONE BOCA COMMERCE CENTER
 551 NORTHWEST 77TH STREET, SUITE 111
 BOCA RATON, FL 33487

FORMALITIES LETTER



OC000000012626214

Date Mailed: 05/13/2004

NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

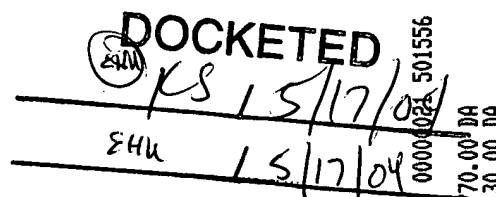
An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:Total additional fee(s) required for this application is **\$900** for a Large Entity

- \$770 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

Replies should be mailed to: Mail Stop Missing Parts
 Commissioner for Patents
 P.O. Box 1450
 Alexandria VA 22313-1450



10782725

501556

00000021

770.00 DA

130.00 DA


07/19/2004

WASFAH1

01 FC:1001

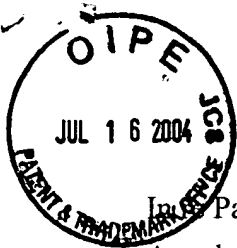
02 FC:1051

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*



Customer Service Center
Initial Patent Examination Division (703) 308-1202

PART 1 - ATTORNEY/APPLICANT COPY



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Patent Application of

Angelo VISCONTI

Serial No. 10/782,725

Filed: February 19, 2004

: Atty. Docket No. 02-AG-210/EV

: Group Art Unit: 2186

: Confirmation No. 3423

:

For: *METHOD OF PROGRAMMING A MULTI-LEVEL, ELECTRICALLY
PROGRAMMABLE NON-VOLATILE SEMICONDUCTOR MEMORY*

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Mail Stop Missing Parts
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application under 37 CFR 1.53(b) mailed May 13, 2004, attached hereto are the following to complete the formal filing requirements in the above-identified application:

XX Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (PTO-1533) mailed May 13, 2004.

XX Declaration and Power of Attorney.

XX Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 w/6 non-U.S. patent references.

XX Claim for Priority w/certified copy of European Patent Application No. 03425096.9.

XX The Commissioner is authorized to charge payment of the \$770.00 filing fee and \$130.00 late surcharge fee to Deposit Account No. **50-1556**.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. **50-1556**.

Respectfully submitted,

Date:

7/13/04

By:

Jose Gutman
Jose Gutman
Registration No. 35,171

FLEIT, KAIN, GIBBONS, GUTMAN, BONGINI & BIANCO P.L.
551 NW 77th Street, Suite 111
Boca Raton, Florida 33487
Telephone: (561) 989-9811
Facsimile : (561) 989-9812

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: MAIL STOP MISSING PARTS, COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Kathleen Schlorson
Name of Person Mailing Paper

Kathleen Schlorson
Signature of Person Mailing Paper

7/13/04
Date of Deposit